## APO at the Global Festa Japan 2005

The APO once again took part in the annual International Cooperation Festival in Tokyo's Hibiya Park. From this year, the festival was renamed the Global Festa Japan. More than 75,000 visited this colorful event on 1 and 2 October.

The APO has been a part of this event since 1998. Global Festa Japan showcased the activities of more than 200 international, governmental, and nongovernmental organizations. Other attractions included the Global Stage, Millennium Stage, and workshops, a rally game, live music, dancing, international food bazaar, world folk crafts show, and more.

The APO booth, decorated with orange balloons, displayed information on its activities. In addition to the usual lucky draw feature, a game in which visitors attempted to identify the national flags of all APO member countries proved to be immensely popular among visitors of all ages, who enthusiastically lined up to play. The APO also presented its mission and activities in a workshop on the premises of the Global Festa Japan.



Visitors at the APO booth